

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Rainer WALDMAN

Application No./Patent No.: 09/129,758 Filed/Issue Date: August 5, 1998

Entitled: MAMMAL NEURONAL ACID SENSING CATIONIC CHANNEL, CLONING AND APPLICATIONS THEREOF

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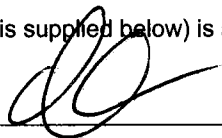
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in the patent application/patent identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application/patent identified above. A copy of the assignment is attached. The assignment was previously recorded or is being recorded concurrently herewith.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.



Signature

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ASSIGNMENT

IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, We, the undersigned, Rainer Waldmann, residing at Chemin de Chense, 83600 Les Adrets De L'Esterel, France; Frédéric Bassilana, residing at 15, rue Delille, 06000 Nice, France; Eric Lingueglia, residing at 20 boulevard Dubouchage, 06000 Nice, France; Michel Lazdunski, residing at 21, avenue Colombo, 06000 Nice, France, Catherine Heurteaux, residing at Résidence Elvira Hills D1, 1187, Route de St. Jean, 06600 Antibes, France and Guy Champigny (deceased) (Champigny, Isabelle; Champigny, Thomas and Champigny, Antoine), residing at 3, place Charrée, 06560 Valbonne, France, respectively, intending to be legally bound;

HEREBY SELL, assign and transfer to Centre National De La Recherche Scientific - CNRS, an organization of France, having a place of business at Service Financier de la Délégation du Siège, 3, rue Michel Ange, 75794 Paris, Cedex 16, France its successors, assigns and legal representatives, the entire right, title and interest for the United States in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in an application for United States Letters Patent which is designated in International Application No. PCT/FR98/00270, filed February 11, 1998, and which is entitled

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and in and to said application and all divisional, continuation, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of said improvements; and in and to all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on said improvements;

AGREE THAT said Assignee may apply for and receive Letters Patent for said improvements in its own name, and that, Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuation, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said improvements, execute all rightful oaths, Assignments, Powers of Attorney and other papers, communicate to said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing and maintaining proper patent protection for said improvements and for vesting title to said improvements and all applications for patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives;

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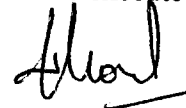
COVENANT WITH said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no Assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other Agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed have been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned; and,

AUTHORIZE MY attorneys, Gerard J. Weiser, Esq., Reg. No. 19,763, Steve Mendelsohn, Esq., Reg. No. 35,951 and Ian M. Hughes, Esq., Reg. No. 19,763 of the Firm of Weiser & Associates, P.C. or any of them, to enter in the blank spaces provided for that purpose below the Serial Number and filing date of the United States Patent Application to which this document applies, when that information becomes known.

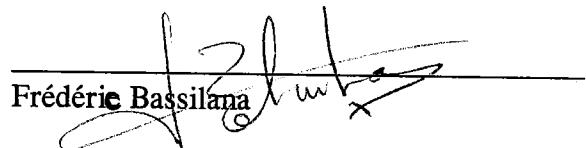


Rainer Waldmann

Before me this 25th day of November, 1998, personally appeared the above-named, to me personally known to be the person of that name who is described in and who executed the above instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein set forth.

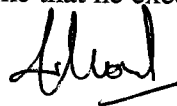


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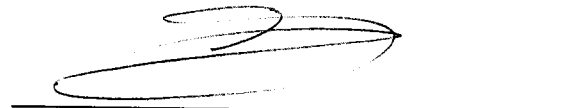


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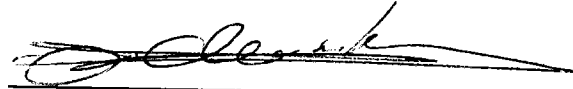


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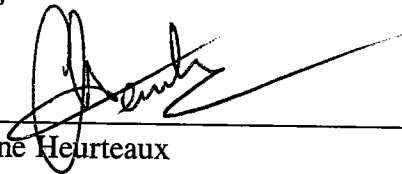


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The foregoing Assignment applies to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/129,758, filed 8/5/98 and entitled NEW CATIONIC MAMMALIAN NEURONAL CHANNEL ACID RESPONSIVE, ITS CLONING AND APPLICATIONS.

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